



# Ward Notification

## Tucson Fire Department

Fire Chief Patrick Kelly



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Date: March 8, 2009

### **Ward 4 – House Fire – 2200 Block of South Calle Zamora**

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Dispatch Time – 0708

On-Scene Time – 0712

Fire Under Control – 0722

Neighbors called 9-1-1 this morning reporting smoke and flames coming from this vacant home. The first engine, with four firefighters, arrived to find the home 25-percent involved in fire and the fire spreading from the carport to the main residence. Ten minutes later, twenty-three firefighters and eight units extinguished the fire. No injuries occurred and Red Cross was not needed.

Cause – Incendiary – multiple points of origin  
Damage estimate - \$ 175,000

Safety Message: The important thing to remember here is to call 9-1-1 immediately to report any fire. Firefighters will arrive at the scene in 4 to 6 minutes. We have four firefighters on every fire truck and plenty of resources available to quickly take care of the problem. Life safety is our first priority! Don't spend any extra time trying to extinguish the fire or going inside. You yourself could become a victim, complicating the rescue and delaying the rescue of the person needing it in the first place.